

Northeast Preliminary Fisheries Statistics

Multispecies (May 1998 - January 1999) & Scallop (March 1998- January 1999)

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The preliminary fisheries statistics indicating stock areas and gears in this report were derived by prorating available dealer weighout and vessel log data. These preliminary statistics, therefore, represent the currently available information, but are subject to revisions in the future.

TABLE 1.A - PRELIMINARY COD LANDINGS BY STOCK AREA

									1998/1999*		1997/1998*		FISHING YEAR* LANDINGS 1000 LBS
	NOV - 1998		DEC - 1998		JAN - 1999		MAY 98-JAN 99		MAY 98-JAN 99 AS A % OF TARGET TAC	TARGET TAC (1000 LBS)	MAY 97-JAN 98 AS A % OF TARGET TAC	TARGET TAC (1000 LBS)	
	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT					
GULF OF MAINE	499	39%	618	30%	504	34%	5,774	34%	147%	3,931	152%	5,743	
OTTER TRAWL	273	21%	358	17%	288	20%	3,227	19%	82%		78%		
GILLNET	206	16%	213	10%	145	10%	2,217	13%	56%		64%		
HOOK	4	0%	24	1%	30	2%	142	1%	4%		8%		
OTHER GEARS	16	1%	23	1%	40	3%	188	1%	5%		2%		
GEORGES BANK	792	61%	1,459	70%	968	66%	11,102	66%	107%	10,362	158%	8,038	
OTTER TRAWL	509	39%	561	27%	200	14%	6,158	36%	59%		93%		
GILLNET	112	9%	75	4%	117	8%	1,347	8%	13%		37%		
HOOK	88	7%	619	30%	521	35%	2,626	16%	25%		18%		
OTHER GEARS	84	6%	205	10%	130	9%	971	6%	9%		10%		
ALL AREAS	1,292	100%	2,078	100%	1,472	100%	16,876	100%	118%	14,293	156%	13,781	
OTTER TRAWL	781	60%	919	44%	489	33%	9,384	56%	66%		87%		
GILLNET	318	25%	288	14%	262	18%	3,564	21%	25%		48%		
HOOK	92	7%	644	31%	551	37%	2,768	16%	19%		14%		
OTHER GEARS	100	8%	227	11%	170	12%	1,160	7%	8%		6%		
LANDINGS - ALL AREAS													
FISHING YEAR 1998/1999	1,292		2,078		1,472		16,876						-
FISHING YEAR 1997/1998	1,492		1,944		1,513		21,448						28,467
FISHING YEAR 1996/1997	1,785		1,744		1,294		24,570						31,961
FISHING YEAR 1995/1996	2,432		1,550		1,783		23,924						30,258

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent with stock area delineation used for biological assessment. (see the attached statistical chart).

Cod Stock Areas:

Gulf of Maine: 464, 465, 511-515

Georges Bank: 521-637

2. Landings in live weight.

3. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the January 1998 - January 1999 period and New York landings are estimated for March 1998.

4. Gear data are based on vessel trip reports.

* Fishing Year is May 1 through April 30.

TABLE 1.B - PRELIMINARY COD LANDINGS BY MAJOR PORTS AND STATES, MAY 1998 - JANUARY 1999

		STOCK AREAS				GEAR TYPES							
PORT/STATE	MAY 98 - JAN 99	GULF OF MAINE		GEORGES BANK		OTTER TRAWL		GILLNET		HOOK		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
PORTLAND,ME	1,302	950	73%	352	27%	986	76%	249	19%	44	3%	23	2%
GLOUCESTER,MA	3,502	2,049	59%	1,453	41%	2,024	58%	1,041	30%	380	11%	57	2%
BOSTON,MA	1,093	214	20%	879	80%	1,090	100%	0	0%	3	0%	0	0%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	3,632	34	1%	3,598	99%	3,536	97%	9	0%	0	0%	87	2%
PT JUDITH, RI	48	0	0%	48	100%	32	66%	1	2%	0	0%	15	32%
MAINE	1,640	1,280	78%	360	22%	1,168	71%	376	23%	50	3%	47	3%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	1,193	1,160	97%	34	3%	494	41%	688	58%	1	0%	11	1%
MASSACHUSETTS	13,847	3,334	24%	10,513	76%	7,567	55%	2,490	18%	2,714	20%	1,076	8%
RHODE ISLAND	97	0	0%	97	100%	71	73%	10	10%	0	0%	16	16%
CONNECTICUT	83	0	0%	83	100%	82	99%	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%
NEW YORK	15	0	2%	14	98%	3	18%	0	1%	3	18%	9	63%
NEW JERSEY	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
OTHER NORTHEAST	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAL	16,876	5,774	34%	11,102	66%	9,384	56%	3,564	21%	2,768	16%	1,160	7%

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3. Landings in live weight.

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TABLE 2.A - PRELIMINARY HADDOCK LANDINGS BY STOCK AREA

	NOV - 1998		DEC - 1998		JAN - 1999		MAY 98-JAN 99		1998/1999*		1997/1998*		FISHING YEAR*
									MAY 98-JAN 99		MAY 97-JAN 98		
	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	AS A % OF TARGET TAC	TARGET TAC (1000 LBS)	AS A % OF TARGET TAC	TARGET TAC (1000 LBS)	LANDINGS 1000 LBS
GULF OF MAINE	243	64%	298	53%	235	33%	1,779	37%					
OTTER TRAWL	236	62%	293	53%	230	33%	1,528	31%					
GILLNET	4	1%	3	1%	4	1%	139	3%					
HOOK	3	1%	1	0%	1	0%	44	1%					
OTHER GEARS	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	69	1%					
GEORGES BANK	135	36%	250	45%	469	67%	3,080	63%	29%	10,576	57%	3,545	
OTTER TRAWL	115	30%	237	42%	392	56%	2,837	58%	27%		53%		
GILLNET	3	1%	7	1%	43	6%	123	3%	1%		2%		
HOOK	17	5%	7	1%	30	4%	112	2%	1%		2%		
OTHER GEARS	0	0%	0	0%	3	0%	9	0%	0%		0%		
SNE/MID-ATLANTIC	0	0%	10	2%	0	0%	10	0%					
OTTER TRAWL	0	0%	10	2%	0	0%	10	0%					
GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%					
HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%					
OTHER GEARS	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%					
ALL AREAS	378	100%	557	100%	703	100%	4,870	100%					
OTTER TRAWL	351	93%	540	97%	622	88%	4,376	90%					
GILLNET	7	2%	10	2%	47	7%	261	5%					
HOOK	20	5%	8	1%	31	4%	155	3%					
OTHER GEARS	0	0%	0	0%	3	0%	77	2%					
LANDINGS - ALL AREAS													
FISHING YEAR 1998/1999	378		557		703		4,870						-
FISHING YEAR 1997/1998	397		379		544		3,317						4,777
FISHING YEAR 1996/1997	128		135		134		1,133						1,542
FISHING YEAR 1995/1996	71		64		79		704						881

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Haddock stock Areas:

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Georges Bank: 521-526, 533, 534, 537-539, 541-543, 551, 552, 561 & 562.

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2. Landings in live weight.

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TABLE 2.B - PRELIMINARY HADDOCK LANDINGS BY MAJOR PORTS AND STATES, MAY 1998 - JANUARY 1999

		STOCK AREAS						GEAR TYPES							
PORT/STATE	MAY 98 - JAN 99	GULF OF MAINE		GEORGES BANK		MID-ATLANTIC		OTTER TRAWL		GILLNET		HOOK		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
PORTLAND,ME	1,636	1,160	71%	476	29%	0	0%	1,530	94%	43	3%	25	2%	37	2%
GLOUCESTER,MA	1,202	331	28%	871	72%	0	0%	1,017	85%	116	10%	37	3%	32	3%
BOSTON,MA	697	206	30%	491	70%	0	0%	697	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	893	2	0%	881	99%	10	1%	890	100%	0	0%	0	0%	3	0%
PT JUDITH, RI	9	0	0%	9	100%	0	0%	9	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
MAINE	1,653	1,177	71%	476	29%	0	0%	1,543	93%	46	3%	26	2%	38	2%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	36	25	69%	11	31%	0	0%	9	25%	26	74%	0	0%	0	1%
MASSACHUSETTS	3,073	578	19%	2,485	81%	10	0%	2,716	88%	189	6%	129	4%	39	1%
RHODE ISLAND	86	0	0%	86	100%	0	0%	86	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
CONNECTICUT	22	0	0%	22	100%	0	0%	22	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW YORK	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW JERSEY	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
OTHER NORTHEAST	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAL	4,870	1,779	37%	3,080	63%	10	0%	4,376	90%	261	5%	155	3%	77	2%

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2. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for May 1998 - January 1999.

3. Landings in live weight.

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TABLE 3.A - PRELIMINARY YELLOWTAIL FLOUNDER LANDINGS BY STOCK AREA

	NOV - 1998		DEC - 1998		JAN - 1999		MAY 98 - JAN 99		1998/1999*		1997/1998*		FISHING YEAR* LANDINGS 1000 LBS
									MAY 98-JAN 99		MAY 98-JAN 99		
	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	AS A % OF TARGET TAC	TARGET TAC (1000 LBS)	AS A % OF TARGET TAC	TARGET TAC (1000 LBS)	
GULF OF MAINE	4	1%	3	0%	1	0%	84	1%					
OTTER TRAWL	4	1%	3	0%	1	0%	62	1%					
GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	22	0%					
HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%					
OTHER GEARS	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%					
CAPE COD	119	21%	271	20%	253	25%	1,542	23%					
OTTER TRAWL	116	21%	264	20%	148	15%	1,290	20%					
GILLNET	1	0%	3	0%	97	10%	227	3%					
HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%					
OTHER GEARS	2	0%	4	0%	7	1%	25	0%					
GEORGES BANK	409	74%	742	56%	274	27%	3,697	56%	78%	4,729	71%	1,711	
OTTER TRAWL	406	74%	741	56%	272	27%	3,617	55%	76%		70%		
GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0%		0%		
HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0%		0%		
OTHER GEARS	3	1%	1	0%	2	0%	80	1%	2%		1%		
SNE/MID-ATLANTIC	21	4%	317	24%	495	48%	1,280	19%	71%	1,795	34%	1,817	
OTTER TRAWL	20	4%	315	24%	493	48%	1,254	19%	70%		32%		
GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0%		0%		
HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	0%		0%		
OTHER GEARS	1	0%	2	0%	3	0%	25	0%	1%		2%		
ALL AREAS	553	100%	1,333	100%	1,023	100%	6,603	100%					
OTTER TRAWL	545	99%	1,323	99%	914	89%	6,222	94%					
GILLNET	1	0%	3	0%	97	10%	248	4%					
HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%					
OTHER GEARS	6	1%	7	1%	12	1%	131	2%					
LANDINGS - ALL AREAS													
FISHING YEAR 1998/1999	553		1,333		1,023		6,603						-
FISHING YEAR 1997/1998	406		699		310		3,543						5,546
FISHING YEAR 1996/1997	315		711		609		3,797						6,267
FISHING YEAR 1995/1996	378		332		300		3,019						4,803

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Yellowtail Stock Areas:

Gulf of Maine: 464, 465, 511-513, 515.

Cape Cod: 514, 521.

Georges Bank: 522, 525, 542, 543, 551, 552, 561, 562.

Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic: 526, 533, 534, 537-539, 541, 611-639.

2. Landings in live weight.

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		STOCK AREAS								GEAR TYPES							
PORT/STATE	MAY 98 - JAN 99	GULF OF MAINE		CAPE COD		GEORGES BANK & GEORGES BANK SOUTH		SNE, SNE SOUTH & MID ATLANTIC		OTTER TRAWL		GILLNET		HOOK		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
PORTLAND,ME	15	13	83%	2	15%	0	3%	0	0%	15	98%	0	0%	0	0%	0	2%
GLOUCESTER,MA	353	9	3%	287	81%	56	16%	0	0%	318	90%	27	8%	0	0%	8	2%
BOSTON,MA	121	4	3%	69	57%	15	12%	34	28%	121	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	4,074	0	0%	564	14%	3,220	79%	290	7%	3,978	98%	1	0%	0	0%	95	2%
PT JUDITH, RI	522	0	0%	0	0%	43	8%	479	92%	521	100%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%
MAINE	24	21	88%	2	9%	0	2%	0	1%	24	97%	0	1%	0	0%	1	2%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	44	44	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	23	51%	21	49%	0	0%	0	0%
MASSACHUSETTS	5,223	19	0%	1,534	29%	3,338	64%	332	6%	4,882	93%	227	4%	0	0%	114	2%
RHODE ISLAND	779	0	0%	0	0%	224	29%	555	71%	776	100%	0	0%	0	0%	3	0%
CONNECTICUT	174	0	0%	5	3%	118	68%	51	29%	167	95%	0	0%	0	0%	8	5%
NEW YORK	293	0	0%	0	0%	15	5%	277	95%	291	100%	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%
NEW JERSEY	65	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	65	100%	59	92%	0	0%	0	0%	6	8%
OTHER NORTHEAST	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAL	6,603	84	1%	1,542	23%	3,697	56%	1,280	19%	6,222	94%	248	4%	1	0%	131	2%

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Georges Bank: 522, 525, 542, 543, 551, 552, 561, 562.

Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic: 526, 533, 534, 537-539, 541, 611-639.

2. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the May 1998 - January 1999 period.

3. Landings in live weight.

4. Gear data are based on vessel trip reports.

TABLE 4.A - PRELIMINARY PRORATED WHITE HAKE LANDINGS

		NOV-98		DEC-98		JAN-99		MAY 98-JAN 99		FISHING YEAR
		1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	LANDINGS 1000 LBS
SNE/NORTH		450	98%	416	100%	327	100%	4,571	99%	
	OTTER TRAWL	338	74%	375	90%	288	88%	2,362	51%	
	GILLNET	72	16%	36	9%	36	11%	1,558	34%	
	HOOK	41	9%	6	1%	0	0%	610	13%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%	42	1%	
MID-ATLANTIC		9	2%	0	0%	0	0%	37	1%	
	OTTER TRAWL	8	2%	0	0%	0	0%	9	0%	
	GILLNET	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%	24	1%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	4	0%	
ALL AREAS		459	100%	416	100%	327	100%	4,608	100%	
	OTTER TRAWL	345	75%	375	90%	288	88%	2,371	51%	
	GILLNET	72	16%	36	9%	36	11%	1,582	34%	
	HOOK	41	9%	6	1%	0	0%	610	13%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%	45	1%	
LANDINGS	1998/1999	459		416		327		4,608		-
LANDINGS	1997/1998	450		316		145		4,242		4,929
LANDINGS	1996/1997	520		269		214		6,277		6,852
LANDINGS	1995/1996	808		386		298		8,422		9,296

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White Hake Stock Areas:

SNE&North:: 464-465, 500-562

Mid-Atlantic: 600-639

2. Landings in live weight.
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TABLE 4.B - PRELIMINARY WHITE HAKE LANDINGS BY MAJOR PORTS AND STATES, MAY 1998 - JANUARY 1999

		STOCK AREAS				GEAR TYPES							
PORT/STATE	MAY 98 - JAN 99	SNE/ MA		MID- ATLANTIC		OTTER TRAWL		GILLNET		HOOK		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
PORTLAND,ME	2,404	2,389	99%	15	1%	1,265	53%	537	22%	575	24%	27	1%
GLOUCESTER,MA	1,177	1,177	100%	0	0%	512	43%	628	53%	29	2%	8	1%
BOSTON,MA	271	271	100%	0	0%	271	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	100	100	100%	0	0%	100	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
PT JUDITH, RI	16	16	100%	0	0%	16	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
MAINE	2,719	2,695	99%	24	1%	1,424	52%	691	25%	575	21%	28	1%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	181	181	100%	0	0%	6	3%	170	94%	0	0%	5	3%
MASSACHUSETTS	1,669	1,669	100%	0	0%	906	54%	721	43%	34	2%	9	1%
RHODE ISLAND	27	25	91%	2	9%	27	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
CONNECTICUT	1	1	66%	0	34%	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW YORK	10	1	9%	9	91%	6	54%	0	2%	1	9%	4	36%
NEW JERSEY	1	0	0%	1	100%	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
OTHER NORTHEAST	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAL	4,608	4,571	99%	37	1%	2,371	51%	1,582	34%	610	13%	45	1%

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TABLE 5.A - PRELIMINARY PRORATED AMERICAN PLAICE LANDINGS

		NOV-98		DEC-98		JAN-99		MAY 98-JAN 99		FISHING YEAR*
		1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	LANDINGS 1000 LBS
GULF OF MAINE/GB		393	99%	486	99%	368	100%	6,229	99%	
	OTTER TRAWL	393	99%	485	99%	358	97%	6,035	96%	
	GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%	135	2%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	1	0%	8	2%	59	1%	
SNE / MID-ATLANTIC		3	1%	4	1%	0	0%	77	1%	
	OTTER TRAWL	2	0%	4	1%	0	0%	76	1%	
	GILLNET	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
ALL AREAS		396	100%	489	100%	369	100%	6,306	100%	
	OTTER TRAWL	395	100%	488	100%	358	97%	6,110	97%	
	GILLNET	2	0%	0	0%	2	1%	137	2%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	1	0%	8	2%	59	1%	
LANDINGS	1998/1999	396		489		369		6,306		-
LANDINGS	1997/1998	430		378		260		6,721		8,420
LANDINGS	1996/1997	580		485		379		8,194		10,032
LANDINGS	1995/1996	582		413		399		8,636		10,093

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent with stock area delineation used for biological assessment. (see the attached statistical chart).

American Plaice Stock Areas:

Gulf of Maine/GB: 464-465, 511-526, 551-552, 561-562.

Southern New England/Mid-Atlantic: 533-534, 537-539, 541-543, 611-639.

2. Landings in live weight.
3. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the January 1998 - January 1999 period and New York landings are estimated for March 1998.
4. Gear data are based on vessel trip reports.

* Fishing Year is May 1 through April 30.

TABLE 5.B - PRELIMINARY AMERICAN PLAICE LANDINGS BY MAJOR PORTS AND STATES, MAY 1998 - JANUARY 1999

		STOCK AREAS				GEAR TYPES							
PORT/STATE	MAY 98 - JAN 99	GOM/ GB		SNE/ MID-ATLANTIC		OTTER TRAWL		GILLNET		HOOK		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
PORTLAND,ME	2,054	2,051	100%	3	0%	2,042	99%	0	0%	0	0%	12	1%
GLOUCESTER,MA	1,110	1,109	100%	1	0%	1,007	91%	70	6%	0	0%	33	3%
BOSTON,MA	515	502	97%	13	3%	515	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	1,145	1,103	96%	42	4%	1,136	99%	0	0%	0	0%	9	1%
PT JUDITH, RI	25	20	83%	4	17%	25	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
MAINE	2,956	2,953	100%	3	0%	2,943	100%	1	0%	0	0%	13	0%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	154	154	100%	0	0%	107	69%	47	31%	0	0%	0	0%
MASSACHUSETTS	3,062	3,000	98%	61	2%	2,928	96%	88	3%	0	0%	46	1%
RHODE ISLAND	87	81	93%	6	7%	85	98%	1	2%	0	0%	0	0%
CONNECTICUT	47	40	86%	7	14%	47	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW YORK	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW JERSEY	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
OTHER NORTHEAST	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAL	6,306	6,229	99%	77	1%	6,110	97%	137	2%	0	0%	59	1%

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent w ith stock area delineation used for biological assessment (see the attached statistical chart).

Winter Flounder stock Areas: Gulf of Maine/GB: 464-465, 511-526, 551-552, 561-562.

SNE/MA: 533-534, 537-539, 541-543, 611-639.

2. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the May 1998 - January 1999 period.

3. Landings in live w eight.

4. Gear Data are based on vessel trip reports.

TABLE 6.A - PRELIMINARY PRORATED WINTER FLOUNDER LANDINGS

	NOV-98		DEC-98		JAN-99		MAY 98-JAN 99		FISHING YEAR*
	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	LANDINGS 1000 LBS
GULF OF MAINE	169	19%	119	14%	45	26%	659	7%	
OTTER TRAWL	154	17%	116	13%	44	25%	554	6%	
GILLNET	14	2%	3	0%	1	0%	101	1%	
HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	
OTHER GEAR	1	0%	0	0%	1	0%	3	0%	
GEORGES BANK	329	37%	141	16%	8	4%	2,346	24%	
OTTER TRAWL	327	37%	139	16%	5	3%	2,326	24%	
GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
OTHER GEAR	2	0%	2	0%	3	1%	19	0%	
SNE / MID-ATLANTIC	398	44%	604	70%	125	70%	6,608	69%	
OTTER TRAWL	388	43%	595	69%	120	68%	6,422	67%	
GILLNET	6	1%	1	0%	0	0%	31	0%	
HOOK	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%	2	0%	
OTHER GEAR	5	1%	8	1%	4	2%	153	2%	
ALL AREAS	895	100%	865	100%	178	100%	9,613	100%	
OTTER TRAWL	869	97%	850	98%	169	95%	9,302	97%	
GILLNET	20	2%	3	0%	1	0%	133	1%	
HOOK	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%	3	0%	
OTHER GEAR	7	1%	11	1%	8	4%	175	2%	
LANDINGS 1998/1999	895		865		178		9,613		-
LANDINGS 1997/1998	911		877		169		10,447		11,720
LANDINGS 1996/1997	926		968		283		9,500		10,668
LANDINGS 1995/1996	666		593		260		7,584		8,593

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent with stock area delineation used for biological assessment. (see the attached statistical chart).

Winter Flounder Stock Areas:

Gulf of Maine: 464-465, 511-515

Georges Bank: 522, 525, 542-543, 551-552, 561-562

Southern New England/Mid-Atlantic: 521, 526, 533-534, 537-539, 541, 611-639

2. Landings in live weight.
3. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the January 1998 - January 1999 period and New York landings are estimated for March 1998.
4. Gear data are based on vessel trip reports.

* Fishing Year is May 1 through April 30.

TABLE 6.B - PRELIMINARY WINTER FLOUNDER LANDINGS BY MAJOR PORTS AND STATES, MAY 1998 - JANUARY

		STOCK AREAS						GEAR TYPES							
PORT/STATE	MAY 98 - JAN 99	GULF OF MAINE		GEORGES BANK		SNE/MID-ATLANTIC		OTTER TRAWL		GILLNET		HOOK		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
PORTLAND,ME	1	1	88%	0	0%	0	12%	1	92%	0	8%	0	0%	0	0%
GLOUCESTER,MA	202	152	75%	31	15%	20	10%	158	78%	42	21%	0	0%	2	1%
BOSTON,MA	592	28	5%	41	7%	523	88%	592	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	6,316	89	1%	2,168	34%	4,059	64%	6,191	98%	0	0%	0	0%	125	2%
PT JUDITH, RI	826	0	0%	32	4%	795	96%	820	99%	0	0%	0	0%	6	1%
MAINE	4	4	95%	0	1%	0	5%	4	93%	0	4%	0	0%	0	2%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	15	15	99%	0	0%	0	1%	7	43%	8	53%	0	0%	1	3%
MASSACHUSETTS	7,656	640	8%	2,274	30%	4,742	62%	7,389	97%	123	2%	3	0%	141	2%
RHODE ISLAND	947	0	0%	62	7%	885	93%	929	98%	0	0%	0	0%	18	2%
CONNECTICUT	376	0	0%	10	3%	366	97%	368	98%	0	0%	0	0%	7	2%
NEW YORK	481	0	0%	0	0%	481	100%	478	100%	1	0%	0	0%	1	0%
NEW JERSEY	134	0	0%	0	0%	134	100%	126	94%	0	0%	0	0%	8	6%
OTHER NORTHEAST	1	0	0%	0	0%	1	100%	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAL	9,613	659	7%	2,346	24%	6,608	69%	9,302	97%	133	1%	3	0%	175	2%

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent with stock area delineation used for biological assessment (see the attached statistical chart).

Winter Flounder stock Areas: Gulf of Maine: 464, 465, 511-515

Georges Bank: 522, 525, 542-543, 551-552 & 561-562.

Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic: 521, 526, 533-534, 537-539, 541, 611-639

2. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the May 1998 - January 1999 period.

3. Landings in live weight.

4. Gear Data are based on vessel trip reports.

TABLE 7.A - PRELIMINARY PRORATED WITCH FLOUNDER LANDINGS

		NOV-98		DEC-98		JAN-99		MAY 98-JAN 99		FISHING YEAR*
		1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	LANDINGS 1000 LBS
GOM/GB		162	99%	209	99%	266	96%	2,788	96%	
	OTTER TRAWL	162	99%	208	98%	264	95%	2,724	93%	
	GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	24	1%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	2	1%	3	1%	40	1%	
SNE / MID-ATLANTIC		2	1%	3	1%	12	4%	126	4%	
	OTTER TRAWL	2	1%	3	1%	12	4%	125	4%	
	GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	
ALL AREAS		164	100%	212	100%	278	100%	2,914	100%	
	OTTER TRAWL	164	100%	211	99%	275	99%	2,849	98%	
	GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	24	1%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	2	1%	3	1%	41	1%	
LANDINGS	1998/1999	164		212		278		2,914		-
LANDINGS	1997/1998	186		259		197		2,905		4,096
LANDINGS	1996/1997	275		324		243		3,564		4,524
LANDINGS	1995/1996	252		242		280		3,523		4,500

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent with stock area delineation used for biological assessment. (see the attached statistical chart).

Witch Flounder Stock Areas:

GOM/GB: 464-465, 511-526, 551-552, 561-562.

SNE / Mid-Atlantic: 533-534, 537-539, 541-543, 611-639.

2. Landings in live weight.
3. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the January 1998 - January 1999 period and New York landings are estimated for March 1998.
4. Gear data are based on vessel trip reports.

* Fishing Year is May 1 through April 30.

TABLE 7.B - PRELIMINARY WITCH FLOUNDER LANDINGS BY MAJOR PORTS AND STATES, MAY 1998 - JANUARY 1999

PORT/STATE	STOCK AREAS					GEAR TYPES							
	MAY 98 - JAN 99	GOM/ GB		SNE/ MA		OTTER TRAWL		GILLNET		HOOK		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
PORTLAND,ME	786	786	100%	0	0%	783	100%	0	0%	0	0%	3	0%
GLOUCESTER,MA	356	356	100%	0	0%	336	94%	11	3%	0	0%	9	3%
BOSTON,MA	220	209	95%	11	5%	220	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	716	693	97%	24	3%	691	97%	0	0%	0	0%	25	3%
PT JUDITH, RI	113	50	44%	63	56%	113	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
MAINE	1,228	1,228	100%	0	0%	1,225	100%	0	0%	0	0%	3	0%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	25	24	100%	0	0%	21	86%	4	14%	0	0%	0	0%
MASSACHUSETTS	1,474	1,429	97%	46	3%	1,418	96%	20	1%	0	0%	36	2%
RHODE ISLAND	159	95	60%	64	40%	159	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
CONNECTICUT	13	12	92%	1	8%	12	94%	0	0%	0	0%	1	6%
NEW YORK	2	0	7%	2	93%	2	99%	0	0%	0	0%	0	1%
NEW JERSEY	11	0	0%	11	100%	11	98%	0	0%	0	0%	0	2%
OTHER NORTHEAST	2	0	0%	2	100%	2	98%	0	0%	0	0%	0	2%
TOTAL	2,914	2,788	96%	126	4%	2,849	98%	24	1%	0	0%	41	1%

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent with stock area delineation used for biological assessment
(see the attached statistical chart).

Witch Flounder stock Areas: Gulf of Maine/GB: 464-465, 511-526, 551-552, 561-562.
SNE/MA: 533-534, 537-539, 541-543, 611-639.

2. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the May 1998 - January 1999 period.

3. Landings in live weight.

4. Gear Data are based on vessel trip reports.

TABLE 8.A - PRELIMINARY PRORATED WINDOWPANE FLOUNDER LANDINGS

		NOV-98		DEC-98		JAN-99		MAY 98-JAN 99		FISHING YEAR*
		1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	LANDINGS 1000 LBS
GOM/GB		17	45%	26	44%	3	11%	239	57%	
	OTTER TRAWL	17	45%	26	44%	3	11%	236	56%	
	GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	3	1%	
SNE/MA		20	55%	33	56%	23	89%	184	43%	
	OTTER TRAWL	20	55%	33	56%	23	89%	182	43%	
	GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	2	0%	
ALL AREAS		37	100%	59	100%	25	100%	423	100%	
	OTTER TRAWL	37	100%	59	100%	25	100%	418	99%	
	GILLNET	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	HOOK	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	OTHER GEAR	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	5	1%	
LANDINGS	1998/1999	37		59		25		423		-
LANDINGS	1997/1998	318		56		32		679		1,363
LANDINGS	1996/1997	308		145		39		1,427		1,898
LANDINGS	1995/1996	262		155		88		976		1,605

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent with stock area delineation used for biological assessment. (see the attached statistical chart).

Windowpane Flounder Stock Areas:

Gulf of Maine/Georges Bank: 464-465, 511-515, 521-522, 525, 542-543, 551-552, 561-562.

Southern New England/Mid-Atlantic: 526, 533-534, 537-539, 611-639.

2. Landings in live weight.
3. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the January 1998 - January 1999 period and New York landings are estimated for March 1998.
4. Gear data are based on vessel trip reports.

* Fishing Year is May 1 through April 30.

TABLE 8.B - PRELIMINARY WINDOWPANE FLOUNDER LANDINGS BY MAJOR PORTS AND STATES, MAY 1998 - JANUARY 1999

PORT/STATE	STOCK AREAS					GEAR TYPES							
	MAY 98 - JAN 99	GOM/ GB		SNE/ MA		OTTER TRAWL		GILLNET		HOOK		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
PORTLAND,ME	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
GLOUCESTER,MA	2	2	100%	0	0%	2	98%	0	1%	0	0%	0	0%
BOSTON,MA	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	300	221	74%	79	26%	296	99%	0	0%	0	0%	4	1%
PT JUDITH, RI	18	2	10%	16	90%	18	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
MAINE	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
MASSACHUSETTS	318	237	74%	81	26%	313	98%	0	0%	0	0%	5	1%
RHODE ISLAND	20	2	11%	18	89%	20	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
CONNECTICUT	5	0	7%	4	93%	5	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW YORK	50	0	0%	50	100%	50	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW JERSEY	31	0	0%	31	100%	31	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
OTHER NORTHEAST	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
TOTAL	423	239	57%	184	43%	418	99%	0	0%	0	0%	5	1%

1. The three digit statistical areas defined below are for statistical and management purposes and may not be consistent with stock area delineation used for biological assessment (see the attached statistical chart).

Windowpane Flounder stock Are:Gulf of Maine/GB: 464-465, 511-515, 521-522, 525, 542-543, 551-552, 561-562.

SNE/Mid-Atlantic: 526, 533-534, 537-539, 611-639.

2. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the May 1998 - January 1999 period.

3. Landings in live weight.

4. Gear Data are based on vessel trip reports.

TABLE 9 - PRELIMINARY MULTISPECIES LANDINGS **

	FISHING YEAR*	NOV - 1998		DEC - 1998		JAN - 1999		MAY 98 - JAN 99		1998/1999*		1997/1998*		FISHING YEAR* LANDINGS 1000 LBS
		1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	MAY 98-JAN 99 AS A % OF TARGET TAC	TARGET TAC (1000 LBS)	MAY 97-JAN 98 AS A % OF TARGET TAC	TARGET TAC (1000 LBS)	
Atlantic Pollock	1998/1999	841	29%	1,434	41%	1,149	48%	8,798	26%	16%				
	1997/1998	842	27%	1,049	35%	969	54%	7,953	24%			14%		
	1996/1997	570	18%	722	25%	532	31%	5,590	16%					
	1995/1996	624	19%	626	25%	512	27%	5,152	15%					
Redfish	1998/1999	71	2%	56	2%	53	2%	550	2%	1%				
	1997/1998	24	1%	36	1%	29	2%	351	1%			1%		
	1996/1997	38	1%	33	1%	35	2%	478	1%					
	1995/1996	39	1%	40	2%	49	3%	725	2%					
White Hake	1998/1999	459	16%	416	12%	327	14%	4,608	14%	8%				
	1997/1998	450	14%	316	11%	145	8%	4,242	13%			8%		
	1996/1997	520	16%	269	9%	214	12%	6,277	18%					
	1995/1996	808	25%	386	16%	298	16%	8,422	24%					
American Plaice	1998/1999	396	14%	489	14%	369	15%	6,306	19%	11%				
	1997/1998	430	14%	378	13%	260	14%	6,721	20%			12%		
	1996/1997	580	18%	485	16%	379	22%	8,194	23%					
	1995/1996	582	18%	413	17%	399	21%	8,636	25%					
Winter Flounder	1998/1999	895	31%	865	24%	178	7%	9,613	29%	17%				
	1997/1998	911	29%	877	30%	169	9%	10,447	31%			19%		
	1996/1997	926	29%	968	33%	283	16%	9,500	27%					
	1995/1996	666	21%	593	24%	260	14%	7,584	22%					
Witch Flounder	1998/1999	164	6%	212	6%	278	12%	2,914	9%	5%				
	1997/1998	186	6%	259	9%	197	11%	2,905	9%			5%		
	1996/1997	275	9%	324	11%	243	14%	3,564	10%					
	1995/1996	252	8%	242	10%	280	15%	3,523	10%					
Windowpane Flounder	1998/1999	37	1%	59	2%	25	1%	423	1%	1%				
	1997/1998	318	10%	56	2%	32	2%	679	2%			1%		
	1996/1997	308	10%	145	5%	39	2%	1,427	4%					
	1995/1996	262	8%	155	6%	88	5%	976	3%					
All 7 Species - Total	1998/1999	2,864	100%	3,531	100%	2,378	100%	33,213	100%	59%	56,200			-
	1997/1998	3,162	100%	2,970	100%	1,802	100%	33,298	100%			59%	56,200	42,435
	1996/1997	3,217	100%	2,946	100%	1,725	100%	35,029	100%					42,093
	1995/1996	3,232	100%	2,455	100%	1,885	100%	35,019	100%					41,140

1. Landings in live weight.

2. Connecticut landings are estimated for the January 1998 - January 1999 period and New York landings are estimated for March 1998.

3. Gear data are based on vessel trip reports.

* Fishing Year is May 1 through April 30.

** For the 7 species under the Multispecies FMP other than cod, haddock and yellowtail flounder.

TABLE 10.A - PRELIMINARY SEA SCALLOP LANDINGS BY STOCK AREA

	NOV - 1998		DEC - 1998		JAN - 1999		MAR 98-JAN 99		FISHING YEAR*
	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	1000 LBS	PERCENT	LANDINGS 1000 LBS
GULF OF MAINE	129	17 %	109	16 %	45	11 %	559	5 %	
OTTER TRAWL	0	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	5	0 %	
DREDGE	127	17 %	108	16 %	45	10 %	550	5 %	
OTHER GEAR	2	0 %	0	0 %	1	0 %	4	0 %	
SOUTH CHANNEL	205	27 %	275	39 %	169	40 %	2,453	22 %	
OTTER TRAWL	0	0 %	1	0 %	0	0 %	2	0 %	
DREDGE	205	27 %	274	39 %	169	40 %	2,446	22 %	
OTHER GEAR	0	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	4	0 %	
GEORGES BANK NORTH	33	4 %	54	8 %	40	9 %	705	6 %	
OTTER TRAWL	0	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	29	0 %	
DREDGE	33	4 %	54	8 %	40	9 %	655	6 %	
OTHER GEAR	0	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	21	0 %	
GEORGES BANK SOUTH	38	5 %	31	4 %	18	4 %	1,177	11 %	
OTTER TRAWL	0	0 %	1	0 %	0	0 %	4	0 %	
DREDGE	35	4 %	30	4 %	18	4 %	1,167	11 %	
OTHER GEAR	3	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	6	0 %	
SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND	4	1 %	9	1 %	5	1 %	178	2 %	
OTTER TRAWL	0	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	18	0 %	
DREDGE	4	1 %	9	1 %	5	1 %	157	1 %	
OTHER GEAR	0	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	2	0 %	
NEW YORK BIGHT	123	16 %	80	11 %	91	21 %	2,746	25 %	
OTTER TRAWL	0	0 %	3	0 %	0	0 %	184	2 %	
DREDGE	120	16 %	77	11 %	91	21 %	2,510	23 %	
OTHER GEAR	3	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	52	0 %	
DELMARVA	232	30 %	128	18 %	56	13 %	2,825	26 %	
OTTER TRAWL	26	3 %	0	0 %	5	1 %	954	9 %	
DREDGE	206	27 %	126	18 %	39	9 %	1,793	16 %	
OTHER GEAR	0	0 %	2	0 %	13	3 %	79	1 %	
VIRGINIA/NORTH CAROLINA	3	0 %	13	2 %	2	0 %	414	4 %	
OTTER TRAWL	0	0 %	0	0 %	1	0 %	52	0 %	
DREDGE	3	0 %	13	2 %	1	0 %	363	3 %	
OTHER GEAR	0	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	0	0 %	
ALL AREAS	768	100 %	698	100 %	426	100 %	11,057	100 %	
OTTER TRAWL	27	4 %	5	1 %	6	1 %	1,248	11 %	
DREDGE	733	96 %	691	99 %	406	95 %	9,641	87 %	
OTHER GEAR	7	1 %	3	0 %	14	3 %	169	2 %	
LANDINGS - ALL AREAS									
FISHING YEAR 1998/1999	768		698		426		11,057		-
FISHING YEAR 1997/1998	715		793		476		12,444		13,238
FISHING YEAR 1996/1997	1,261		895		318		16,694		17,399
FISHING YEAR 1995/1996	803		625		481		16,715		17,640

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Sea Scallop Stock Areas:

Gulf of Maine: 511-515.
 South Channel: 521, 522, 526.
 Georges Bank North: 561, 562.
 Georges Bank South: 525.
 Southern New England: 537-539.
 New York Bight: 611-616.
 Delmarva: 621-623, 625-627.
 Virginia/North Carolina: 631-638.

2. Landings in meat weight.

3. State landings for Connecticut are estimated for the January 1998 - January 1999 period and New York for March 1998.

4. Gear data are based on vessel trip reports.

* Fishing Year is March 1 through February 28.

TABLE 10.B - PRELIMINARY SEA SCALLOP LANDINGS BY MAJOR PORTS AND STATES, MARCH 1998 - JANUARY 1999

		S T O C K A R E A S															
PORT/STATE	MAR 98 - JAN 99	GULF OF MAINE		SOUTH CHANNEL		GEORGES BANK NORTH		GEORGES BANK SOUTH		SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND		NEW YORK BIGHT		DELMARVA		VIRGINIA & NORTH CAROLINA	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	5,165	120	2%	2,303	45%	687	13%	1,132	22%	99	2%	666	13%	160	3%	0	0%
CAPE MAY, NJ	956	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	9	1%	1	0%	473	49%	460	48%	12	1%
NORFOLK, VA	3,337	0	0%	6	0%	11	0%	0	0%	9	0%	774	23%	2,140	64%	397	12%
MAINE	368	364	99%	2	1%	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	7	7	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
MASSACHUSETTS	5,269	187	4%	2,327	44%	689	13%	1,135	22%	103	2%	667	13%	160	3%	0	0%
RHODE ISLAND	141	0	0%	48	34%	0	0%	13	9%	29	21%	44	31%	7	5%	0	0%
CONNECTICUT	345	0	0%	69	20%	5	1%	19	6%	15	4%	230	67%	7	2%	0	0%
NEW JERSEY	1,535	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	9	1%	4	0%	1,019	66%	490	32%	12	1%
VIRGINIA	3,337	0	0%	6	0%	11	0%	0	0%	9	0%	774	23%	2,140	64%	397	12%
OTHER NORTHEAST	56	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	17	30%	12	22%	22	39%	5	9%
TOTAL	11,057	559	5%	2,453	22%	705	6%	1,177	11%	178	2%	2,746	25%	2,825	26%	414	4%

		G E A R					
PORT/STATE	MAR 98 - JAN 99	OTTER TRAWL		DREDGE		OTHER GEARS	
	1000 LBS	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%	1000 LBS	%
NEW BEDFORD,MA	5,165	39	1%	5,039	98%	87	2%
CAPE MAY, NJ	956	341	36%	598	63%	17	2%
NORFOLK, VA	3,337	807	24%	2,471	74%	59	2%
MAINE	368	1	0%	364	99%	3	1%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	7	3	42%	4	58%	0	0%
MASSACHUSETTS	5,269	41	1%	5,141	98%	88	2%
RHODE ISLAND	141	0	0%	140	100%	0	0%
CONNECTICUT	345	1	0%	344	100%	0	0%
NEW JERSEY	1,535	343	22%	1,173	76%	20	1%
VIRGINIA	3,337	807	24%	2,471	74%	59	2%
OTHER NORTHEAST	56	52	92%	4	8%	0	0%
TOTAL	11,057	1,248	11%	9,641	87%	169	2%

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